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**WORKFORCE SERVICES**

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**Department of Workforce Services  
and  
Arkansas Workforce Investment Board Issuance PY 08-11**

**From:** Artee Williams, Director  
Kenneth Ferguson, Executive Director

**Date:** March 24, 2009

**TO:** Local Workforce Investment Areas/Service Providers

**SUBJECT:** American Recovery and Reinvestment Act WIA Title I – Youth, Adult and  
Dislocated Worker Activities Program Allocations

1. **Purpose:** To officially issue the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) WIA Title I – Youth, Adult and Dislocated Worker Activities Program allocations to local workforce investment areas.
2. **General Information:** Youth Activities allocations were calculated according to the Workforce Investment Act of 1998, Public Law 105-220, Chapter 4, and Section 128(b)(2).

Adult Activities allocations were calculated according to the Workforce Investment Act of 1998, Public Law 105-220, Chapter 5, and Section 133(b)(2)(A).

Dislocated Worker Activities allocations were calculated according to the Workforce Investment Act of 1998, Public Law 105-220, Chapter 5, and Section 133(b)(2)(B).

For all funding streams, allocations were calculated according to the guidance provided by the U.S. Department of Labor's Employment and Training Administration in Training and Employment Guidance Letter Number 13-08.

The information on page two of this Issuance includes the total allotment to the State of Arkansas for each funding stream, the reservations for statewide activities required under Public Law 105-220, Chapter 4, and Section 128(a) and Chapter 5, and Section 133(a) (1), and the reservation for statewide rapid response activities required under Public Law 105-220, Chapter 5, and Section 133(a) (2).

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<u>Funding Stream</u>	<u>ARRA Allotment</u>	<u>15% Statewide Activities</u>	<u>25% Rapid Response Activities</u>	<u>Balance for Allocation to LWIAs</u>
Youth	\$ 12,065,555	\$ 1,809,833		\$ 10,255,722
Adult	\$ 5,072,930	\$ 760,939		\$ 4,311,991
Dislocated Worker	\$ 7,518,483	\$ 1,127,772	\$ 1,879,621	\$ 4,511,090
Totals	\$ 24,656,968	\$ 3,698,544	\$ 1,879,621	\$ 19,078,803

**Special Notes:**

- A. WIA section 133(b)(4) provides the authority for local workforce investment areas, with approval of the Governor, to transfer up to 20 percent of the Adult Activities funds to Dislocated Worker Activities, and up to 20 percent of Dislocated Worker Activities funds to Adult Activities. The ARRA does not provide for a raise to this transfer limit.
- B. In 2007, Arkansas received an extension of the waiver of these funds transfer limitations through June 30, 2009. The waiver allows the state to approve local area requests to transfer up to 40 percent of local area allocations between the WIA Adult and Dislocated Worker programs. This waiver does not apply to ARRA funds.
- C. This Issuance provides the total ARRA allocation for each Title I funding stream.
- D. A separate Issuance will provide local workforce investment areas with ARRA subgrant award numbers and funding amounts. All subgrant awards will have an effective date of February 17, 2009.
3. **Action Required:** Please provide this information to staff involved in the preparation of ARRA WIA subgrant award packages.
4. **Inquiries:** Mike Kennedy (501) 682-3142 or mike.kennedy@arkansas.gov
5. **Attachments:** Development sheets for Youth, Adult and Dislocated Worker activities allocations.
6. **Expiration Date:** June 30, 2010.

Adult

ARRA  
WIA ADULT ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET I  
UNEMPLOYED INDIVIDUALS RESIDING IN AREAS OF  
SUBSTANTIAL UNEMPLOYMENT (ASUs)  
TWELVE MONTH AVERAGE JULY 1, 2007 - JUNE 30, 2008

LWIA	(A) NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED INDIVIDUALS	(B) LWIA PRO RATA PERCENT OF TOTAL (A)
Little Rock*	3,189	5.135%
Central	8,394	13.517%
North Central	6,169	9.934%
Northeast	7,017	11.300%
Northwest	9,041	14.559%
Southeast	7,178	11.559%
Southwest	5,406	8.706%
West Central	6,668	10.738%
Western	4,958	7.984%
Eastern	4,078	6.567%
<b>Total</b>	<b>62,098</b>	<b>100.000%</b>

\*Little Rock numbers are based on 2000 Census data indicating the portion of Pulaski county to be 50.663%.

Data was drawn from 12-month average figures covering July 1, 2007 - June 30, 2008 as compiled by the Arkansas Department of Workforce Services (DWS).

For the time period considered, the entire State of Arkansas did not qualify as an ASU. In compiling these numbers, DWS grouped together as many whole counties and, using census shared data, parts of other counties as could be contiguously grouped, yet maintaining an aggregate average unemployment rate of 6.5%.

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ARRA  
WIA ADULT ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET II  
CALCULATION OF EXCESS UNEMPLOYED  
(OVER 4.5% OF CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE (CLF))

LWIA	(A) MONTHLY AVERAGE CLF 7/07 - 6/08	(B) MONTHLY UNEMPLOYMENT 7/07 - 6/08	(C) (A) X 4.5%	(D) AMOUNT ABOVE 4.5% LEVEL	(E) % SHARE OF TOTAL
Little Rock*	43,557	3,189	1,960	1,229	6.541%
Central	136,870	8,394	6,159	2,235	11.896%
North Central	90,014	6,169	4,051	2,118	11.276%
Northeast	96,729	7,017	4,353	2,664	14.181%
Northwest	177,559	9,041	7,990	1,051	5.593%
Southeast	90,254	7,178	4,061	3,117	16.589%
Southwest	83,328	5,406	3,750	1,656	8.816%
West Central	113,646	6,668	5,114	1,554	8.271%
Western	82,505	4,958	3,713	1,245	6.628%
Eastern	48,005	4,078	2,160	1,918	10.208%
<b>Total</b>	<b>962,467</b>	<b>62,098</b>	<b>43,311</b>	<b>18,787</b>	<b>100.000%</b>

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ARRA  
WIA ADULT ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET III  
CALCULATION OF LWIA's PROPORTIONATE PERCENTAGE OF THE STATE'S  
ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED ADULT POPULATION

LWIA	(A)	(B)
	TOTAL NUMBER OF ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED ADULTS	% OF STATE'S TOTAL OF ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED ADULTS
Little Rock*	12,239	5.637%
Central	25,516	11.752%
North Central	18,340	8.447%
Northeast	21,445	9.877%
Northwest	30,965	14.261%
Southeast	25,620	11.800%
Southwest	22,870	10.533%
West Central	22,810	10.505%
Western	18,275	8.417%
Eastern	19,045	8.771%
<b>Total</b>	<b>217,125</b>	<b>100.000%</b>

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Based on U.S. Department of Labor 2000 Census data.

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ARRA  
WIA ADULT ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET IV  
PRELIMINARY ALLOCATION CALCULATION

	(A) 33 1/3% SUBSTANTIAL UNEMPLOYMENT FACTOR	(B) 33 1/3% EXCESS (4.5%) UNEMPLOYMENT FACTOR	(C) 33 1/3% SHARE OF THE STATE'S ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED ADULTS FACTOR	(D) A+B+C	(E) LWIA ALLOCATION LEVEL (D) DIVIDED BY 3
LWIA					
Little Rock	5.135%	6.541%	5.637%	17.313%	5.771%
Central	13.517%	11.896%	11.752%	37.165%	12.388%
North Central	9.934%	11.276%	8.447%	29.657%	9.886%
Northeast	11.300%	14.181%	9.877%	35.358%	11.786%
Northwest	14.559%	5.593%	14.261%	34.413%	11.471%
Southeast	11.559%	16.589%	11.800%	39.948%	13.316%
Southwest	8.706%	8.816%	10.533%	28.055%	9.352%
West Central	10.738%	8.271%	10.505%	29.514%	9.838%
Western	7.984%	6.628%	8.417%	23.029%	7.676%
Eastern	6.567%	10.208%	8.771%	25.546%	8.515%
<b>Total</b>	100.000%	100.000%	100.000%	300.000%	100.000%

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ARRA  
WIA ADULT ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET V  
CALCULATION OF MINIMUM PERCENTAGE TO BE RECEIVED BY LWIAs

	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)
	PY 2007	PY 2008	TWO YEAR	ARRA	ARRA
	ALLOCATION	ALLOCATION	AVERAGE	MINIMUM	PRELIMINARY
LWIA	ALLOCATION	ALLOCATION	AVERAGE	(C) x 90%	ALLOCATION
Little Rock	4.205%	4.174%	4.205%	3.785%	5.771%
Central	8.721%	8.599%	8.721%	7.849%	12.388%
North Central	10.006%	10.101%	10.006%	9.005%	9.886%
Northeast	14.595%	14.136%	14.595%	13.136%	11.786%
Northwest	7.297%	7.395%	7.297%	6.567%	11.471%
Southeast	18.460%	18.855%	18.460%	16.614%	13.316%
Southwest	11.216%	11.416%	11.216%	10.094%	9.352%
West Central	8.507%	8.236%	8.507%	7.656%	9.838%
Western	5.184%	4.928%	5.184%	4.666%	7.676%
Eastern	11.808%	12.160%	11.808%	10.627%	8.515%
<b>Total</b>	100.000%	100.000%	100.000%	90.000%	100.000%

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ARRA  
WIA ADULT ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET VI  
HOLD HARMLESS CALCULATION

	(A) PRELIMINARY ALLOCATION PERCENTAGE SHEET V, COLUMN (E)	(B) ARRA MINIMUM SHEET V, COLUMN (D)	(C) AMOUNT BELOW COLUMN (B)	(D) AMOUNT ABOVE COLUMN (B)	(E) COLUMN (D) DIVIDED BY TOTAL OF COLUMN (D)	(F) COLUMN (E) X TOTAL OF COLUMN (C)
LWIA						
Little Rock	5.771%	3.785%	-	1.986%	11.347%	0.851%
Central	12.388%	7.849%	-	4.539%	25.934%	1.946%
North Central	9.886%	9.005%	-	0.881%	5.034%	0.378%
Northeast	11.786%	13.136%	1.350%	-	-	-
Northwest	11.471%	6.567%	-	4.904%	28.020%	2.102%
Southeast	13.316%	16.614%	3.298%	-	-	-
Southwest	9.352%	10.094%	0.742%	-	-	-
West Central	9.838%	7.656%	-	2.182%	12.467%	0.935%
Western	7.676%	4.666%	-	3.010%	17.198%	1.290%
Eastern	8.515%	10.627%	2.112%	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.000%</b>	<b>90.000%</b>	<b>7.502%</b>	<b>17.502%</b>	<b>100.000%</b>	<b>7.502%</b>

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ARRA  
WIA ADULT ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET VII  
FINAL

LWIA	(A) PRELIMINARY ALLOCATION PERCENTAGE	(B) ARRA HOLD HARMLESS LEVEL TO MEET MINIMUM	(C) ADJUSTMENT TO (A)	(D) ARRA FINAL ADULT ALLOCATION (A)+(C)
Little Rock	5.771%	3.785%	-0.851%	4.920%
Central	12.388%	7.849%	-1.946%	10.442%
North Central	9.886%	9.005%	-0.378%	9.508%
Northeast	11.786%	13.136%	1.350%	13.136%
Northwest	11.471%	6.567%	-2.102%	9.369%
Southeast	13.316%	16.614%	3.298%	16.614%
Southwest	9.352%	10.094%	0.742%	10.094%
West Central	9.838%	7.656%	-0.935%	8.903%
Western	7.676%	4.666%	-1.290%	6.386%
Eastern	8.515%	10.627%	2.112%	10.627%
<b>Total</b>	100.000%	90.000%	0.000%	100.000%

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ARRA  
WIA ADULT ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET VIII  
STATE ARRA LWIA AMOUNT = \$4,311,991

LWIA	(A)	(B)
	ARRA ADULT ALLOCATION PERCENTAGE	ARRA ADULT FUNDING
Little Rock	4.920%	\$212,152
Central	10.442%	\$450,263
North Central	9.508%	\$409,988
Northeast	13.136%	\$566,429
Northwest	9.369%	\$403,994
Southeast	16.614%	\$716,401
Southwest	10.094%	\$435,256
West Central	8.903%	\$383,901
Western	6.386%	\$275,367
Eastern	10.627%	\$458,240
<b>Total</b>	100.000%	\$4,311,991

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## Dislocated Worker

ARRA  
DISLOCATED WORKER ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET I  
INSURED UNEMPLOYED

LWIA	(A) # INDIVIDUALS CERTIFYING FOR UI 1/08 - 12/08	(B) LWIA PRO RATA PERCENT OF TOTAL (A)
Little Rock*	16,431	6.012%
Central	38,937	14.247%
North Central	25,206	9.223%
Northeast	29,292	10.718%
Northwest	42,507	15.553%
Southeast	32,918	12.045%
Southwest	20,892	7.644%
West Central	28,247	10.336%
Western	22,278	8.152%
Eastern	16,591	6.071%
<b>Total</b>	273,299	100.000%

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ARRA  
DISLOCATED WORKER ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET II  
UNEMPLOYMENT CONCENTRATION (PART 1)

LWIA	(A) NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS	(B) LWIA PRO RATA PERCENT OF TOTAL (A)
Little Rock*	4,303	6.084%
Central	10,558	14.928%
North Central	6,332	8.953%
Northeast	7,181	10.153%
Northwest	11,713	16.561%
Southeast	7,384	10.440%
Southwest	5,780	8.172%
West Central	7,488	10.587%
Western	5,886	8.322%
Eastern	4,100	5.797%
<b>Total</b>	<b>70,725</b>	<b>100.000%</b>

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Base data are 12 month average numbers from January 1, 2008 through December 31, 2008, as compiled by the Arkansas Department of Workforce Services.

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ARRA  
DISLOCATED WORKER ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET II  
UNEMPLOYMENT CONCENTRATION (PART 2)

LWIA	(A) MONTHLY AVERAGE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE 1/1/08 - 12/31/08	(B) MONTHLY AVERAGE UNEMPLOYED 1/1/08 - 12/31/08	(C) (A) X 4.5%	(D) AMOUNT ABOVE 4.5% LEVEL (B) - (C)	(E) PERCENT SHARE OF TOTAL
Little Rock*	97,443	4,303	4,385	0	0.000%
Central	239,242	10,558	10,766	0	0.000%
North Central	102,371	6,332	4,607	1,725	17.022%
Northeast	118,997	7,181	5,355	1,826	18.016%
Northwest	282,171	11,713	12,698	0	0.000%
Southeast	100,222	7,384	4,510	2,874	28.355%
Southwest	108,812	5,780	4,897	883	8.716%
West Central	148,174	7,488	6,668	820	8.092%
Western	123,371	5,886	5,552	334	3.298%
Eastern	53,944	4,100	2,427	1,673	16.501%
<b>TOTAL</b>	755,891	44,151	34,015	10,136	100.000%

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Little Rock, Central and Northwest LWIAs are not included in totals because their unemployment rates did not exceed 4.5%.

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ARRA  
DISLOCATED WORKER ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET II  
UNEMPLOYMENT CONCENTRATION (PART 3)

LWIA	(F) PRO RATA SHARE OF TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT SHEET II, (PART 1) COLUMN (B) x 40%	(G) PERCENT SHARE OF TOTAL SHEET II (PART 2) COLUMN (E) x 60%	(H) (F) + (G)
Little Rock	2.434%	0.000%	2.434%
Central	5.971%	0.000%	5.971%
North Central	3.581%	10.213%	13.794%
Northeast	4.061%	10.810%	14.871%
Northwest	6.624%	0.000%	6.624%
Southeast	4.176%	17.013%	21.189%
Southwest	3.269%	5.230%	8.498%
West Central	4.235%	4.855%	9.090%
Western	3.329%	1.979%	5.308%
Eastern	2.319%	9.901%	12.219%
<b>Total</b>	<b>40.000%</b>	<b>60.000%</b>	<b>100.000%</b>

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ARRA  
DISLOCATED WORKER ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET III  
PLANT CLOSINGS / LAYOFFS

LWIA	(A) # WORKERS AFFECTED 1/1/08 - 12/31/08	(B) LWIA PRO RATA PERCENT OF TOTAL (A)
Little Rock	966	9.139%
Central	641	6.064%
North Central	807	7.635%
Northeast	1,030	9.745%
Northwest	1,320	12.488%
Southeast	668	6.320%
Southwest	1,353	12.800%
West Central	1,012	9.574%
Western	2,663	25.194%
Eastern	110	1.041%
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,570</b>	<b>100.000%</b>

Source: Governor's Dislocated Worker Task Force Layoff / Closure Report - January 1, 2008  
through December 31, 2008

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ARRA  
DISLOCATED WORKER ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET IV  
DECLINING INDUSTRIES

LWIA	(A)	(B)
	AMOUNT OF LOSS (2005 - 2007) DECLINE OF AVERAGE COVERED EMPLOYMENT	LWIA PRO RATA PERCENT OF TOTAL STATE LOSS
Little Rock*	4,399	9.623%
Central	6,068	13.274%
North Central	4,813	10.529%
Northeast	4,271	9.343%
Northwest	5,608	12.268%
Southeast	4,188	9.161%
Southwest	4,622	10.111%
West Central	3,862	8.448%
Western	5,293	11.579%
Eastern	2,590	5.666%
<b>Total</b>	<b>45,714</b>	<b>100.000%</b>

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Calculated using the ES-202 Report, "Covered Employment and Earnings", specifically the column noted as "Average Covered Employment" for calendar years 2005, 2006, and 2007.

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ARRA  
DISLOCATED WORKER ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET V  
FARMER-RANCHER ECONOMIC HARDSHIP  
2004-2006

LWIA	(A)	(B)
	AMOUNT OF LOSS (2004 - 2006) DECLINE IN CASH RECEIPTS (\$000)	LWIA PRO RATA PERCENT OF TOTAL STATE LOSS
Little Rock*	\$2,049	0.513%
Central	\$9,164	2.295%
North Central	\$36,466	9.131%
Northeast	\$0	0.000%
Northwest	\$123,925	31.031%
Southeast	\$15,863	3.972%
Southwest	\$77,696	19.455%
West Central	\$63,603	15.926%
Western	\$51,970	13.013%
Eastern	\$18,627	4.664%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$399,363</b>	<b>100.000%</b>

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Calculated using marketing statistics (2004 - 2006) provided by the U.S. Department of Commerce.

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ARRA  
DISLOCATED WORKER ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET VI  
LONG TERM UNEMPLOYMENT

LWIA	(A) NUMBER OF LONG TERM UNEMPLOYED	(B) LWIA PRO RATA PERCENT OF TOTAL
Little Rock*	2,268	6.014%
Central	5,261	13.951%
North Central	3,248	8.613%
Northeast	3,954	10.485%
Northwest	6,465	17.144%
Southeast	4,381	11.617%
Southwest	2,729	7.237%
West Central	3,854	10.220%
Western	3,155	8.366%
Eastern	2,396	6.354%
<b>Total</b>	<b>37,711</b>	<b>100.000%</b>

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ARRA  
DISLOCATED WORKER ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET VII  
STATE ARRA LWIA AMOUNT = \$4,511,090

LWIA	(A) (5%) INSURED UNEMPLOYMENT DATA SHEET I (COLUMN B)	(B) (15%) UNEMPLOYMENT CONCENTRATION SHEET II, PART 3, COLUMN (H)	(C) (30%) PLANT CLOSINGS, LAYOFFS SHEET III, COLUMN (B)	(D) (15%) DECLINING INDUSTRIES SHEET IV, COLUMN (B)	(E) (5%) FARMER-RANCHER ECONOMIC HARDSHIP SHEET V, COLUMN (B)	(F) (30%) LONG TERM UNEMPLOYED SHEET VI, COLUMN (B)	(G) ARRA LWIA ALLOCATION PERCENTAGE	(H) ARRA LWIA FUNDING ALLOCATION
Little Rock	Data Factor	2.434% 0.365%	9.139% 2.742%	9.623% 1.443%	0.513% 0.026%	6.014% 1.804%	6.681%	\$301,373
Central	Data Factor	5.971% 0.896%	6.064% 1.819%	13.274% 1.991%	2.295% 0.115%	13.951% 4.185%	9.718%	\$438,406
North Central	Data Factor	13.794% 2.069%	7.635% 2.290%	10.529% 1.579%	9.131% 0.457%	8.613% 2.584%	9.440%	\$425,868
Northeast	Data Factor	10.718% 0.536%	9.745% 2.923%	9.343% 1.401%	0.000% 0.000%	10.485% 3.146%	10.237%	\$461,793
Northwest	Data Factor	15.553% 0.778%	12.488% 3.746%	12.268% 1.840%	31.031% 1.552%	17.144% 5.143%	14.053%	\$633,922
Southeast	Data Factor	21.189% 3.178%	6.320% 1.896%	9.161% 1.374%	3.972% 0.199%	11.617% 3.485%	10.735%	\$484,244
Southwest	Data Factor	7.644% 0.362%	12.800% 3.840%	10.111% 1.517%	19.455% 0.973%	7.237% 2.171%	10.157%	\$458,212
West Central	Data Factor	10.336% 0.517%	9.574% 2.872%	8.448% 1.267%	15.926% 0.796%	10.220% 3.066%	9.882%	\$445,789
Western	Data Factor	8.152% 0.408%	25.194% 7.558%	11.579% 1.737%	13.013% 0.651%	8.366% 2.510%	13.659%	\$616,180
Eastern	Data Factor	6.071% 0.304%	1.041% 0.312%	5.666% 0.850%	4.664% 0.233%	6.354% 1.906%	5.438%	\$245,303
Total	Data Factor	100.000% 5.000%	100.000% 30.000%	100.000% 15.000%	100.000% 5.000%	100.000% 30.000%	100.000%	\$4,511,090

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Youth

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<b>Total</b>	<b>62,098</b>	<b>100.000%</b>

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Data was drawn from 12-month average figures covering July 1, 2007 - June 30, 2008 as compiled by the Arkansas Department of Workforce Services (DWS).

For the time period considered, the entire State of Arkansas did not qualify as an ASU. In compiling these numbers, DWS grouped together as many whole counties and, using census shared data, parts of other counties as could be contiguously grouped, yet maintaining an aggregate average unemployment rate of 6.5%.

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ARRA  
WIA YOUTH ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET II  
CALCULATION OF EXCESS UNEMPLOYED  
(OVER 4.5% OF CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE (CLF))

LWIA	(A) MONTHLY AVERAGE CLF 7/07 - 6/08	(B) MONTHLY UNEMPLOYMENT 7/07 - 6/08	(C) (A) X 4.5%	(D) AMOUNT ABOVE 4.5% LEVEL	(E) % SHARE OF TOTAL
Little Rock*	43,557	3,189	1,960	1,229	6.541%
Central	136,870	8,394	6,159	2,235	11.896%
North Central	90,014	6,169	4,051	2,118	11.276%
Northeast	96,729	7,017	4,353	2,664	14.181%
Northwest	177,559	9,041	7,990	1,051	5.593%
Southeast	90,254	7,178	4,061	3,117	16.589%
Southwest	83,328	5,406	3,750	1,656	8.816%
West Central	113,646	6,668	5,114	1,554	8.271%
Western	82,505	4,958	3,713	1,245	6.628%
Eastern	48,005	4,078	2,160	1,918	10.208%
<b>Total</b>	962,467	62,098	43,311	18,787	100.000%

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ARRA  
WIA YOUTH ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET III  
CALCULATION OF LWIA's PROPORTIONATE PERCENTAGE OF THE STATE'S  
ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED YOUTH POPULATION

LWIA	(A) TOTAL NUMBER OF ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED YOUTH	(B) % OF STATE'S TOTAL OF ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED YOUTH
Little Rock*	3,045	5.324%
Central	7,850	13.725%
North Central	5,620	9.826%
Northeast	6,055	10.587%
Northwest	10,325	18.052%
Southeast	5,775	10.097%
Southwest	5,160	9.022%
West Central	5,735	10.027%
Western	3,720	6.504%
Eastern	3,910	6.836%
<b>Total</b>	<b>57,195</b>	<b>100.000%</b>

\*Little Rock numbers are based on 2000 Census data indicating the portion of Pulaski County to be 50.663%.

Based on U.S. Department of Labor 2000 Census data.

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ARRA  
WIA YOUTH ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET IV  
PRELIMINARY ALLOCATION CALCULATION

	(A) 33 1/3% SUBSTANTIAL UNEMPLOYMENT FACTOR	(B) 33 1/3% EXCESS (4.5%) UNEMPLOYMENT FACTOR	(C) 33 1/3% SHARE OF THE STATE'S ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED YOUTH FACTOR	(D) (A)+(B)+(C)	(E) LWIA ALLOCATION LEVEL (D) DIVIDED BY 3
LWIA					
Little Rock	5.135%	6.541%	5.324%	17.000%	5.667%
Central	13.517%	11.896%	13.725%	39.138%	13.046%
North Central	9.934%	11.276%	9.826%	31.036%	10.345%
Northeast	11.300%	14.181%	10.587%	36.068%	12.023%
Northwest	14.559%	5.593%	18.052%	38.204%	12.735%
Southeast	11.559%	16.589%	10.097%	38.245%	12.748%
Southwest	8.706%	8.816%	9.022%	26.544%	8.848%
West Central	10.738%	8.271%	10.027%	29.036%	9.679%
Western	7.984%	6.628%	6.504%	21.116%	7.039%
<u>Eastern</u>	<u>6.567%</u>	<u>10.208%</u>	<u>6.836%</u>	<u>23.611%</u>	<u>7.870%</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.000%</b>	<b>100.000%</b>	<b>100.000%</b>	<b>300.000%</b>	<b>100.000%</b>

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ARRA  
WIA YOUTH ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET V  
CALCULATION OF MINIMUM PERCENTAGE TO BE RECEIVED BY LWIAs

	(A) PY 2007	(B) PY 2008	(C) TWO YEAR AVERAGE	(D) ARRA MINIMUM (C) x 90%	(E) ARRA PRELIMINARY ALLOCATION
LWIA	ALLOCATION	ALLOCATION			
Little Rock	4.099%	4.112%	4.106%	3.695%	5.667%
Central	9.258%	9.357%	9.308%	8.377%	13.046%
North Central	10.468%	11.546%	11.007%	9.906%	10.345%
Northeast	14.582%	13.532%	14.057%	12.651%	12.023%
Northwest	8.538%	8.921%	8.730%	7.857%	12.735%
Southeast	18.057%	17.099%	17.578%	15.820%	12.748%
Southwest	10.831%	11.011%	10.921%	9.829%	8.848%
West Central	8.228%	8.797%	8.513%	7.661%	9.679%
Western	4.659%	6.204%	5.432%	4.888%	7.039%
Eastern	11.280%	9.418%	10.349%	9.314%	7.870%
<b>Total</b>	100.000%	100.000%	100.000%	90.000%	100.000%

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ARRA  
WIA YOUTH ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET VI  
HOLD HARMLESS CALCULATION

	(A) PRELIMINARY ALLOCATION PERCENTAGE SHEET V, COLUMN (E)	(B) ARRA MINIMUM SHEET V, COLUMN (D)	(C) AMOUNT BELOW COLUMN (B)	(D) AMOUNT ABOVE COLUMN (B)	(E) COLUMN (D) DIVIDED BY TOTAL OF COLUMN (D)	(F) COLUMN (E) X TOTAL OF COLUMN (C)
LWIA						
Little Rock	5.667%	3.695%	-	1.972%	12.228%	0.749%
Central	13.046%	8.377%	-	4.669%	28.951%	1.773%
North Central	10.345%	9.906%	-	0.439%	2.722%	0.167%
Northeast	12.023%	12.651%	0.628%	-	-	-
Northwest	12.735%	7.857%	-	4.878%	30.247%	1.853%
Southeast	12.748%	15.820%	3.072%	-	-	-
Southwest	8.848%	9.829%	0.981%	-	-	-
West Central	9.679%	7.661%	-	2.018%	12.513%	0.766%
Western	7.039%	4.888%	-	2.151%	13.338%	0.817%
Eastern	7.870%	9.314%	1.444%	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.000%</b>	<b>90.000%</b>	<b>6.125%</b>	<b>16.127%</b>	<b>87.771%</b>	<b>6.125%</b>

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ARRA  
WIA YOUTH ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET VII  
FINAL

	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
LWIA	PRELIMINARY ALLOCATION PERCENTAGE	ARRA HOLD HARMLESS LEVEL TO MEET MINIMUM	ADJUSTMENT TO (A)	ARRA FINAL YOUTH ALLOCATION (A)+(C)
Little Rock	5.667%	3.695%	-0.749%	4.918%
Central	13.046%	8.377%	-1.773%	11.273%
North Central	10.345%	9.906%	-0.167%	10.178%
Northeast	12.023%	12.651%	0.628%	12.651%
Northwest	12.735%	7.857%	-1.853%	10.882%
Southeast	12.748%	15.820%	3.072%	15.820%
Southwest	8.848%	9.829%	0.981%	9.829%
West Central	9.679%	7.661%	-0.766%	8.913%
Western	7.039%	4.888%	-0.817%	6.222%
Eastern	7.870%	9.314%	1.444%	9.314%
<b>Total</b>	100.000%	90.000%	0.000%	100.000%

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ARRA  
WIA YOUTH ALLOCATION DEVELOPMENT SHEET VIII  
STATE ARRA LWIA AMOUNT = \$10,255,722

LWIA	(A) ARRA YOUTH ALLOCATION PERCENTAGE	(B) ARRA YOUTH FUNDING
Little Rock	4.918%	\$504,376
Central	11.273%	\$1,156,128
North Central	10.178%	\$1,043,827
Northeast	12.651%	\$1,297,451
Northwest	10.882%	\$1,116,028
Southeast	15.820%	\$1,622,455
Southwest	9.829%	\$1,008,035
West Central	8.913%	\$914,093
Western	6.222%	\$638,111
Eastern	9.314%	\$955,218
<b>Total</b>	100.000%	\$10,255,722

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